



NEW AMERICAN BEHAVIORAL HEALTH COMMITTEE

Purpose

Organizations working with refugee and immigrant clients were confused and frustrated with mental health services offered to our clients in the community, resulting in long conversations about what was not working.

These organizations and mental health providers began meeting monthly to learn from each other.

The organizations provided information on the client's experiences and daily living and the providers talked about their services; who qualified, who didn't, and the challenges in delivering adequate service with a variety of restrictions and policies.

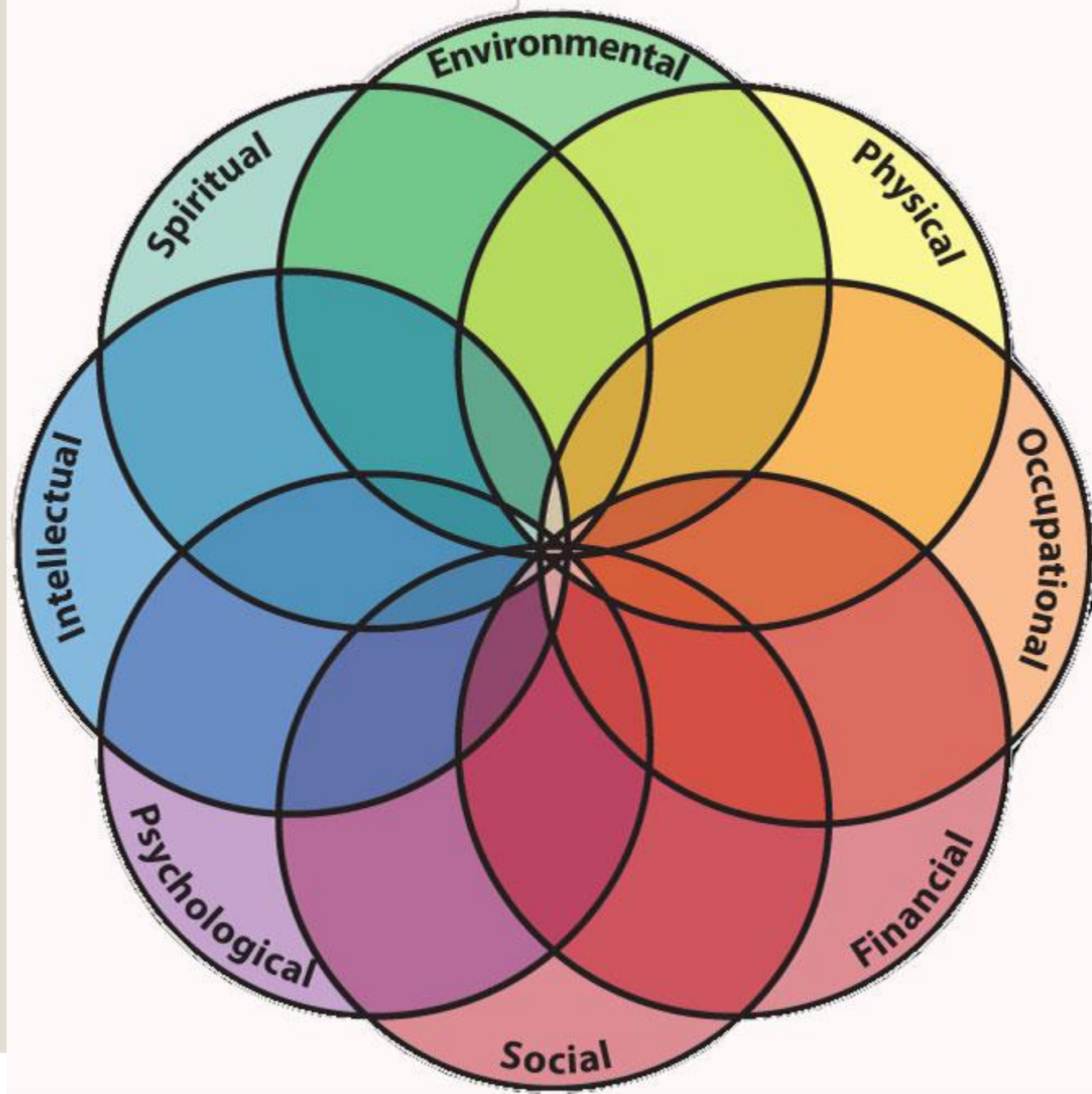
Brown bag learning sessions, each worth 1 CEU, were offered to the community on a variety of topics including cultural competency, working with interpreters, screening options, etc.

Members

- Southeast Human Service Center
- Fargo Public School
- Lutheran Social Services of North Dakota
- New American Consortium for Wellness and Empowerment
- Valley Community Health Center – Grand Forks
- Family Voices North Dakota
- Family HealthCare
- The Village
- Experience Health ND

New American Consortium for Wellness and Empowerment

- ...promotes wellness and empowerment by building bonds among people, bridges between diverse community, and links to organizations. Through celebrations and programming, we will facilitate trusting relationships and create health partnerships in the Greater Fargo-Moorhead area.





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